## TOWNSHIP OF WAKEFIELD



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October 7, 2015

Tom Wheeler, Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th St. SW
Washington DC 20554
Via—Internet and U.S. Mail

Re: Proceeding No. 15-149

Dear Mr. Wheeler:

Last evening the Wakefield Township Board unanimously supported the proposed merger between Charter Communications, Time Warner Cable and Bright House Networks. The importance of fast, reliable broadband connections for our township is most important to our residents. Many have dial up service only. Our businesses have, for a long time, sought out solutions for the increased demand of high speed internet. This merger will help them a great deal.

Many of our school students come from families that cannot afford the internet at their home, and we welcome the proposed service to low income families.

We are especially pleased that the call centers will return to the U.S. This will help create more jobs that we desperately need. U.S. citizens understand problems in this country and they will serve the customers more effectively.

We are a township that spans for 30 miles in every direction, with a population of only 300 and about 130 homes, so we especially welcome the expansion of the internet to serve these deserving folks.

Once again we whole heartily support this merger.

Very Truly Yours,

John Cox, Supervisor

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